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## FRESH ERUPTION IN CHINA.

Chinese Rebels Causing Serious Trouble in Southern Provinces.

Troops Dispatched from Hong Kong to Prevent Refugees from Entering British Territory—Amalgamation to Overthrow Manchu Rule.

Hong Kong, Oct. 16.—A column of troops was dispatched Monday to the Kowloon frontier, with the object of barring armed refugees, either rebels or imperial troops, from entering British territory when defeated. The rebels are reported to be 3,000 strong 30 miles north of the British frontier. A thousand of Admiral Ho's troops are in pursuit of them, while 2,000 Chinese troops have left Canton, overland, to intercept the rebels. Admiral Ho has informed the governor that the rebellion was carefully planned. The rebels are anxious to conciliate the villagers and gain the respect of foreigners, hence the absence of outrage and pillage. All indications point to the rising being widespread. Outbreaks occurred simultaneously in several centers of Kwang-Tung and Kwang-Si. Apparently Kang-Yu-Wel, Sun-Yat-Sen and the triads have amalgamated their forces in the common cause—the overthrow of Manchu rule in south China. Some positive indications of the attitude of the foreign powers is anxiously awaited. A French launch was captured by pirates October 13 near Mong-Chow. The pirates secured \$32,000 in specie.

British Frigate for Gen. Chaffee.

London, Oct. 16.—Dr. Morrison, in the Times this morning, describes the occupation of Peking and the demonstration at the Forbidden City. In connection with the latter incident he emphasizes the self-denial of Gen. Chaffee, which has not received, he says, proper recognition. "The American troops on the 15th," the correspondent remarks, "fought their way, driving the Chinese in front of them to the gateway. There was then no agreement to hold Gen. Chaffee back. He might have pressed on, taken the palace and hoisted the stars and stripes. It would have been a fine prize and the temptation must have been great, but Gen. Chaffee, possibly acting under Mr. Conger's advice, refrained. It was a noteworthy act."

Noted Reformer Decapitated.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Confirmation has been received here of the execution of Chang Yen Hoon, the former Chinese minister to the United States. Chang was a loyal adherent of the emperor, and a warm supporter of the latter's reform movements. When the emperor dower supplanted the emperor two years ago he was ordered to be beheaded, but through the intervention of the American and British ministers his punishment was commuted to banishment in the distant province of Kashgaria. It now appears that the empress dowager, taking advantage of the late reign of terror at Peking and knowing Chang's influence with the emperor, ordered his execution by decapitation.

Allies Capture Pao Ting Fu.

London, Oct. 17.—A dispatch from Shanghai states that Pao Ting Fu was captured Saturday by the force of 7,000 allies sent from Peking for that purpose. Pao Ting Fu is located 60 miles due south of Peking. It is also about 30 miles southwest of Tien Tsin. It is a thriving Chinese city, with a population of 120,000.

Powers Accept France's Proposal.

Paris, Oct. 17.—At a cabinet council held at the Elysee palace the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, announced that all the powers have accepted the French note as the basis for negotiations.

## HONORS FOR MR. GRAY.

Democratic Ex-Senator from Delaware Selected as a Member of the International Arbitration Tribunal.

Washington, Oct. 13.—It is understood the president has selected Judge George Gray, of Delaware, to represent the United States with ex-President Harrison on The Hague permanent arbitration tribunal. Judge Gray is a former senator from Delaware and a democrat. He was a member of the Paris peace commission and is now a United States judge for the Third judicial circuit. His selection will not involve the surrender of that position.

Fire Destroys 13,000 Feet of Lumber.

Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 17.—Fire broke out Tuesday in the lumber district, destroying 13,000,000 feet of lumber and part of the Hollister-Ames company's mill and the plant of Chafferson & Co. The loss estimated at \$170,000 to \$200,000.

A Building Collapsed.

Newark, N. J., Oct. 17.—The walls of a building in course of erection here collapsed and nine men were buried under the debris, three being killed and the others seriously injured.

A Boer Command Ambushed.

Durban, Oct. 17.—Near Vryheid a Boer commando was taken in ambush by British mounted infantry, the Boers losing 60 killed, 55 wounded and 44 taken prisoners.

## AUSTRIA WANTS A LOAN.

Rumor That Franz-Joseph's Government Will Come to the United States to Secure \$20,000,000.

New York, Oct. 13.—As a result of monetary disturbances abroad, Austria wishes to float a large loan in the United States. It is reported that this loan will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000,000. The plan is a tentative one so far. Austria's necessities are growing and she would probably have difficulty in placing a large loan on the continent at this time. New York is now the most attractive market for the borrowers of the world, notwithstanding that its bank reserves are close to the legal limit.

## HIS CURIOUS WILL.

Englishman Leaves His Daughters \$700,000 on Condition That Neither Weds Until 35 Years of Age.

London, Oct. 16.—The will of J. C. Clayton, the son of the late member of parliament of that name, has just been probated. By it he leaves his two daughters a fortune of \$700,000 with the curious provision that the money is to be payable only if they attain the age of 35 without marrying.

Came Back in Style.

Berkely Springs, W. Va., Oct. 16.—Jimmy Adams has returned from the Klondike. When he left here three years ago he went with nothing and on a freight train. He returned yesterday in a private car, hauled by a leased locomotive, and brought with him nearly \$200,000 in gold and papers representing mining possessions worth \$5,000,000 and prospectively worth ten times as much.

White Domingo Would Borrow Here.

New York, Oct. 16.—William Swift Wright, formerly of Logansport, Ind., now confidential adviser of President Jimenez, is here on a secret mission from Santo Domingo. It is believed that Jimenez has sent him here to negotiate a loan sufficiently large to transfer the bonded indebtedness from Belgian to American creditors.

Robbed While He Smoked Optin.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16.—Charlie Chong, a Chinaman, was robbed of \$500 and valuable jewelry yesterday. Chong was preparing to return to China to visit his parents. He was induced to smoke a pipe of opium as a cure for consumption. While under the influence of the drug his shop was entered and his money and jewels stolen.

A Family Blown to Atoms.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 16.—A father, mother and four young children were blown to atoms yesterday evening at Selts, Montgomery county, four miles from Hot Springs. While the family was at supper their home was wrecked by an explosion of dynamite.

Lost a Diamond Stunburst at Paris.

Paris, Oct. 16.—Mrs. Daniel Manning, while leaving her hotel after dinner Saturday, lost a diamond sunburst valued at \$2,500. As a strange coincidence both lady commissioners of the United States at the Paris exposition sustained a loss of jewels.

Ten Business Houses Burned.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 16.—Herrick, a village 12 miles south of here, was visited by a conflagration yesterday morning, ten business houses being destroyed, entailing a loss of \$50,000, with \$20,000 insurance.

Nine Cars of Cotton Burned.

Lampasas, Tex., Oct. 15.—An extra freight train on the Santa Fe was thrown from the track near here by running over a horse. Nine cars of cotton were thrown on the locomotive and burned.

Evil White Driving Across the Tracks.

Danville, Ill., Oct. 17.—William Saunders, married, and Bert Kinney, farmers, were killed by a Chicago & Eastern Illinois passenger train at a crossing west of this city yesterday while driving across the tracks.

The Government Will Pay.

Washington, Oct. 15.—The president will recommend to congress the payment of an indemnity to the families of the four Italians who were the victims of a mob at Tallula, La., about two years ago.

White Men Were the Aggressors.

Washington, Oct. 17.—There were no Indian troubles in the Department of the Colorado last year, according to Gen. Verriand, arising from cards and whisky. The white men, says the general, were the aggressors.

Winconsin Greater Than the Oregon.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Oct. 15.—On her trial trip the new battleship Wisconsin made 17.5 knots per hour and beat the record of the Oregon at every point. The Wisconsin is also 1,000 tons heavier than the Oregon.

For 750,000 Tons of Steel Rails.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 14.—President Cassatt, of the Pennsylvania railroad, has awarded contracts for 750,000 tons of steel rails, for which the company will pay \$26 per ton, of a total of \$3,500,000 for the entire order.

Can Borrow on Their Own Terms.

London, Oct. 14.—The abundance of money has not lessened and the borrowers are able to obtain funds at practically their own terms.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Comparative Prices of Cattle and Hogs For Three Years Under the Cleveland and McKinley Administrations.

When Gov. Stanley was here some time ago, in his speech in the opera house he quoted statistics to prove his contention that the price of stock had increased under the McKinley administration, and was much higher than under the Cleveland administration. His methods were not fair and his conclusions were not correct. From tables published in The Drovers' Daily Telegram of January 1, 1900, the following results are obtained.

The average top price of native fat steers at the Kansas City market, for the years 1893, 1894 and 1895 was \$5.74. Average for the years 1897, 1898 and 1899, \$5.95.

The presidential election years (1896, 1899) are left out for the sake of fairness, and because 1900 is not reported. The prices quoted are per hundred, live weight in both cases.

The gain per hundred under the McKinley administration, for the years named, is 21 cents on beefs.

The average top price of hogs at Kansas City for the years 1893, 1894 and 1895 was \$6.35. Average for the years 1897, 1898 and 1899, \$4.87. Prices quoted are by the hundred, live weight in both cases.

The loss under the McKinley administration on price of fat hogs, for the years named, per hundred is \$1.39 as against 21 cents per hundred gain on beefs.

Grouping hogs and beefs, under years named, average price per hundred under Cleveland, 80. Average under McKinley, for years named \$5.41 making a loss of 59 cents per hundred.

The total number of fat hogs received at Kansas City for the years 1897, 1898 and 1899 was 9,061,513. Average each year, 3,020,504. Estimating average weight of market hogs at 225 pounds the total weight of hogs each year would be 697,613,400 pounds, or 6,796,134 hundred weight.

Loss on hogs each year, \$1.39 per hundred weight. Average yearly loss on hogs, \$9,440,816.22. Total loss for the three years, \$28,330,848.66.

Total number of fat steers received at Kansas City for the years 1897, 1898 and 1899, 2,837,201. Average per year, 945,733. Estimating average weight of steer at 1,000 pounds; average hundred weight each year, 9,457,330.

Gain per hundred under McKinley, for the years named, 21 cents. Average gain each year, \$1,986,102.30. Gain for three years, \$5,958,306.90.

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Balance loss on hogs, \$3,482,509.32

It will be seen that the loss on hogs one year is about one-third greater than the gain on steers for three years.

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Balance loss on hogs, \$22,372,541.76

This is at Kansas City alone. Take all the stock markets and packing houses in the United States the amount of loss could not be much less than \$125,000,000.

It is not difficult to account for the advance in the price of beef steers and other cattle. In the first place the loss of stock on the ranges by winter storms and summer drought in the last few years has shortened the supply by many million head of stock—estimated as high as 13,000,000.

Then the Spanish-American war, the war in South Africa, in the Philippine islands and in China has largely increased the demand for American canned beef. Only a few months ago Russia placed an order in the United States that ran up into millions of pounds, for her army in the east.

As has been shown, the republican contention does not hold good, but is contradicted by facts and figures. But the sweet voice of the republican stump orator is still heard in the land claiming the earth for McKinley and picturing a riot around the moon.

Annual Report of the Fort Scott Road.

New York, Oct. 16.—The annual report of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad for the June 30 fiscal year, issued yesterday, shows an increase of \$981,830, or 23 1/2 per cent. in earnings, of \$830,493, or 21 1/3 per cent. in expenses, and \$345,337, or 25 1/3 per cent. in net earnings.

What Caused the Boer's Ruin.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—The Berliner Tageblatt publishes a letter from Macdonald, which coincides as follows: "Not superior numbers, nor the greater military capacity of the British, but treason, folly and puffed-up impotency among our leaders caused our ruin."

The Book Island Wall Map of the United States.

Is the best offered to the public. It is very large and specially adapted to school purposes. Every teacher of geography and every business office should have one. It will be sent postpaid to any address on receipt of 15 cents in postage stamps or coin. Address John Sebastian, C. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

## FRAUDULENT REGISTRATION.

Two Men Arrested at Kansas City on This Serious Charge and Warrants Are Out for Others.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 15.—The steel doors of the county jail closed at 11 o'clock last night on the first of a considerable number of men who are to be arrested for fraudulent registration. The man was J. T. Donovan, a former member of the Chicago police force. He is accused of registering in the Eighth precinct of the Eighth ward as Francis Ralph, of 809 McGee street. At 1 o'clock this morning G. W. Kendall, a judge of the Second precinct, Second ward, was landed in jail on a somewhat similar charge in default of \$1,000 bond. Other arrests are to be made as soon as the constables can find the men.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16.—"Office Roley" Smith, a clerk in the office of the election commissioner, was arrested on a warrant charging him with abetting fraudulent registration. He was arrested in front of Pendergast's saloon and Pendergast signed Smith's bond. This is the third arrest that has been made at the instance of the republican county committee.

## WILDMAN UPHOLDS DEWEY.

United States Consul at Hong Kong Declares That Filipinos Were Not Promised Their Independence.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The state department yesterday gave out a dispatch from Mr. Wildman, United States consul at Hong Kong, in which he denies that J. Alejandro, a Filipino, had an interview with Admiral Dewey, in which the latter promised the Filipinos independence. Wildman took Alejandro and two other Filipinos on board Dewey's vessel at the time of the alleged promise, but the admiral declined to see them.

Gold Coming from Six Countries.

New York, Oct. 17.—Gold is now en route to this country from Germany, London, Paris, India, South Africa and Australasia. The United States is fast regaining a position of comparative independence as regards the world's supply of gold and will before long assume the control of that London has long held.

Russia Hasn't Got the Money.

Washington, Oct. 17.—The fact that Russia is endeavoring to raise a \$150,000 loan in New York and Paris may explain why Russia has been so anxious to induce the powers to retire from Peking. She is so desperately hard up she cannot stand the financial strain of a prolonged campaign in China.

The Heavens in America.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16.—Before the Women's Christian Board of Missions in convention here Mrs. Jennie Harlan, of New York, said one of the great problems was to help Christ win America. "We must Christianize the heathen in this country," she said, "or they will paganize us."

The Great Sale for Manila.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The United States transport Grant sailed for Manila yesterday. On board the vessel are 507 casuals and recruits representing every regiment of the regular service in China and the Philippines. A large number of hospital corps men accompanied the soldiers.

Sullivan, Ind., Has a Race.

Sullivan, Ind., Oct. 17.—Fire which started Monday night and was not extinguished until Tuesday morning destroyed the Burton Bros. department store building which also contained the opera house and several mercantile concerns. The total loss is \$100,000.

Gold from the Transvaal.

New York, Oct. 16.—It is announced that the National City bank has engaged \$2,500,000 in gold for import. The gold was secured in South Africa and represents the first output of the mines of that country since the breaking out of the war.

His Hopes for South Africa.

Cape Town, Oct. 14.—Parliament was prorogued Saturday. The premier, Sir James Gordon Sprigg, expressed the hope that when parliament reassembles all bitterness will have passed away and that peace and good will will prevail in South Africa.

Vitriol Thrown in a Woman's Face.

Vanver, O., Oct. 17.—Miss Alice Hammell died last night of injuries caused by vitriol thrown in her face on September 16 by Mrs. John Van Liew, wife of a cashier in a local bank. Jealousy was said to be the motive for the crime.

To Decide Next Month.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The supreme court granted motions advancing the Neely case and the cases involving the question of the extension of the constitution over the Philippines and Porto Rico to the second week in November.

Betrothal of Queen Wilhelmina.

The Hague, Oct. 17.—Queen Wilhelmina has proclaimed her betrothal to Duke Henry, of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

New York Bonds Sell Well.

New York, Oct. 17.—City bonds to the value of \$4,500,000, running 30 years at 74, were sold at a premium of \$11,617.

## NAMES FOR HALL OF FAME.

Washington and Lincoln Head the List of Noted Americans Who Will Occupy Places in New York University.

New York, Oct. 14.—The election in the Hall of Fame contest was concluded when the senate of the New York university assembled and passed upon the list of eligibles submitted to that body by the committee which for the last three days has been counting the votes. The total number of names submitted to the 100 judges was 252. According to the decision the following famous men were accorded a place on the tablets of the Hall of Fame. Their names are given in the relative position of votes received: George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Daniel Webster, Benjamin Franklin, U. S. Grant, John Marshall, Thomas Jefferson, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Henry W. Longfellow, Robert Fulton, Washington Irving, Jonathan Edwards, David G. Farragut, Samuel F. B. Morse, Henry Clay, George Peabody, Nathaniel Hawthorne, Robert E. Lee, Peter Cooper, Horace Mann, Henry Ward Beecher, Eli Whitney, James Kent, Joseph Storey, John Adams, William Ellery Channing, James Audubon, Elias Howe, William Morris Hunt, Gilbert Stuart, Asa Gray.

Uniforms Free of Cost.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Employees of the Chicago & Alton road are to be saved much money yearly hereafter by an order just issued by the management of this company. Officers of the road have decided that in the future the company will furnish uniforms to the trainmen free of cost. So far as can be learned it is the first instance where uniforms have been furnished employees gratuitously.

Planning for a Big Parade.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Republicans are preparing to break all records with a monster parade in Chicago, October 21. It will call a "prosperity procession," and republican employees have agreed to give a half day's holiday on full pay to their employees. On Chicago day four years ago there were 40,000 men in the sound money parade. The republicans promise twice as many marchers this year.

Miss Gist's Long Bicycle Ride.

New York, Oct. 16.—Miss Gist completed her ride of 3,000 miles at 7:05 p. m. yesterday evening. She covered the distance in 222 hours and 54 minutes, beating the record of Will Brown by three hours and one minute. At the conclusion of her ride Miss Gist was examined by two physicians, who pronounced her to be in good condition.

To Enlarge Its Shops.

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 15.—It is announced that the Chicago & Alton will within one year expend \$300,000 upon the reconstruction, enlargement and refitting of the general machine shops in this city. In the new shops all machinery will be operated by electricity. The capacity of the shops is to be increased 50 per cent.

Price List Agreed to \$30,000.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 17.—The Short-horn and Hereford fanciers of the United States have sent the pick of their flocks to Kansas City to compete in the joint show being held here this week and next. There are nearly 2,000 animals here. The prize list aggregates more than \$30,000.

Nineteen Hundred Houses Washed Away.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 16.—A typhoon caused great damage on the coasts of Formosa and southern China. Numerous towns were destroyed or badly damaged. Nineteen hundred houses were washed away or inundated at Talpeh, Formosa, and many lives lost.

They Want to Get Posted.

Havana, Oct. 17.—Secretary of Justice Gener has advised Gen. Wood to suspend action on the habeas corpus bill until December 1, so that lawyers and judges may study its provisions. The law as promulgated is almost identical with that of the United States.

New Collector of Manila's Customs.

Manila, Oct. 14.—Gen. Smith, the former governor of Negros, has assumed his duties as collector of customs for the district of Manila. Gen. Smith's appointment is the natural result of his excellent work in the pacification and reconstruction of the island of Negros.

Coal and Gas Found at St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 16.—Coal and gas in paying quantities were found at this city at a depth of 1,000 feet. The gas will be piped to the city at once if the supply holds out, as it promises to do. A vein of coal that may reach two feet in thickness was found.

Overturned Candle Did It.

Sullivan, Ind., Oct. 16.—This city was visited last night by one of the most disastrous fires in its history. The fire was caused by the overturning of a candle in the basement of the large department store of Burton brothers.

Imports Decreasing, Exports Increasing.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Imports of woolen manufactures into the United States are less than one-third in value what they were in 1895 while during the decade, 1890-1900, exports of woolen manufactures have more than doubled.

## WAS ANOTHER DISASTER.

Twenty Americans Attacked by Filipinos and But Seven Escaped.

Rescue Party Secured the Release of Capt. Shields and 51 Men Who Were Captives in Marinduque—Other News from Manila.

Manila, Oct. 17.—A detachment of 20 men of the Twenty-fourth regiment (negro), while engaged in repairing telegraph wires at a point near San Jose, Luzon, were set upon by 200 rebels and were overpowered and scattered. Seven of the Americans reached San Jose, but it is probable that the others were captured. The enemy surprised a party of scouts of the Forty-third infantry at a point three miles from Takloban, Leyte island, killing three of the Americans at the first volley. Two escaped and gave the alarm, but the enemy succeeded in evading their pursuers. The native police of Takloban had conspired to surprise the Americans. The bodies of the dead soldiers were badly mutilated.

Capt. Shields and Party Rescued.

Manila, Oct. 15.—Capt. Devereaux Shields, who, with 51 men of company F, Twenty-ninth regiment, United States volunteer infantry, was captured by the insurgents last month in the island of Marinduque, was recovered Saturday by the American rescue force with all the members of his party.

MacArthur Can Use Them.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The war department has practically determined to adopt Gen. Davis' recommendation and reduce the military force in Porto Rico. The troops will be brought to the United States and then sent to Manila. Eight companies of the Tenth infantry can be spared from the islands and these will make a welcome addition to Gen. MacArthur's command.

Marines to Stay in Luzon.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Secretary Long has decided not to order home any of the marines now in the Philippines. Instead, if more marines should be available they will be sent to Manila. Reinforcements are necessary, because of the contemplated reduction of Gen. MacArthur's command by the withdrawal of the volunteers.

## DID THE CREW MUTINY?

Ugly Rumor About Recording the Fate of a British Ship with a Big Cargo of Lumber.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The British ship Lansing, which left Port Blakeley on June 1, bound for Port Pierce, is now out 136 days. She had a cargo of nearly 2,000,000 feet of lumber. A story is current in shipping circles that the crew has mutinied, killed Capt. Chapman and located on Bonham island, in the South seas, after wrecking the vessel, but the report lacks verification.

Gen. DeWet Is Still Defiant.

Cape Town, Oct. 16.—The Boers are very active in the Koonstad district. Gen. DeWet has proclaimed that burghers who refuse to fight will be made prisoners of war. British mounted infantry scouting from Lindley, had Wiltshire killed, through mistaking a party of 40 Boers in khaki for friends.

America Gets the Mines.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 17.—The survey of the disputed boundary line at Mount Baker has been completed by the provincial surveyor. The line places all the mines of importance in the district on the American side, although a mile of extra territory is given to British Columbia.

Bios burn's Son-in-Law a Suicide.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Thomas F. Lane, son-in-law of United States Senator-elect Blackburn, of Kentucky, committed suicide at his home in this city by shooting. Ill-health is assigned as the cause of the act. Mr. Lane's little daughter was in the room with him at the time.

Florida's Orange Crop.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 17.—A conservative estimate of Florida's orange crop this year places the yield at 1,000,000 boxes. The groves are in healthy condition and within a fortnight fruit will begin to be marketed. The average price per box is \$2.

Denies the "Thank Offering" Story.

London, Oct. 17.—The duke of Marlborough is sending out a denial of the statement that W. K. Vanderbilt has given \$100,000, some papers said, and others \$500,000, to the duchess as a "thank offering" for the duke's safe return from the war.

New National Banks.

Washington, Oct. 17.—A statement prepared by the comptroller of the currency shows that applications have been approved under the act of March 14, 1900, for the organization of 496 new national banks, with a total capital of \$23,505,000.

Ohio Tramp Law Is Vetoed.

Columbus, O., Oct. 17.—The Ohio supreme court held the Ohio tramp act constitutional. A man found begging outside his home county, and refusing to work is liable for one to three years in prison.

## EMPHATIC OVATION.

W. J. Bryan Enthusiastically Received by Greater New York Democrats—Ran a Quiet at the Hoffman House.